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HONGKONG, FRIDAY, DECEMBER 27th, 1899.

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號七十二月二十年十英港

PRICE \$24 PER MONTH

## SHIPPING.

## ARRIVALS.

December 24, TRAVER, British str., 820, Hunter, Taiwan 21st December, and Amoy 23rd, General—DOUGLAS LAF AIX & Co.

December 24, KONG BROTHERS, British str., 820, Jones, Bangkok 18th December, General—TURNER & HONG.

December 25, FUSHEIM, Chinese steamer, 1,503, Croad, Whampoa 25th December, General—O. M. B. M. Co.

December 25, TAIKANG, British steamer, 1,550, Jackson, Whampoa 25th December, General—JAS. DINE, MATTHEW & Co.

December 25, FORMOSA, British steamer, 674, Hall, Manila 22nd December, General—EUSSENA & Co.

December 25, DEVALON, British str., 1,374, Aspinth, Nagasaki 20th December, Coal—BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

December 25, ALMORA, British steamer, 1,781, T. J. Grier, Java 30th November, Sugar—JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

December 25, FOKIER, British str., 515, Lewis, Tamsui 22nd December, Amoy 23rd, and Swatow 24th, General—DOUGLAS LAF AIX & Co.

December 25, HONGKONG, British str., 2,045, W. J. B. Walker, Shanghai 22nd Dec., General—P. & O. S. N. Co.

December 25, JAPAN, British steamer, 1,885, T. B. Gardner, Calcutta 7th December, Penang 15th, and Singapore 18th, Optum and General—DAVID SASSOON, Sons & Co.

December 25, CASABANDA, German str., 1,096, H. C. Thomson, Kobe 19th Dec., Matohes and Coals—SIEMSEN & Co.

December 25, PEBROKESHIRE, British str., 1,716, Damsen, Nagasaki 2nd December, General—AMERICAN, BELL & Co.

December 25, SWAN, American brig, 250, Baddo, Tap (Caroline Islands) 15th Dec., Ballast—MORSE & SYMOND.

December 25, BAVARIA, German steamer, 2,677, F. Meyers, Bremen 13th November, and Singapore 21st December, Mails and General—MILNER & Co.

December 25, CHUNG HOCK KIAN, British str., 988, Griffin, Singapore 16th Dec., General—BUTLIN & Co.

December 25, PEBRO, German steamer, 653, J. Jesen, Haiphong 24th December, Rice—SIEMSEN & Co.

December 25, CHINAT, British str., for Port Darwin, &c.

December 25, CHU-YEN, Chinese str., for Whampoa.

December 25, CONGO, French str., for Europe, &c.

December 25, APENADE, German steamer, for Nagasaki.

December 25, DORIA, German str., for Swatow.

December 25, YAHSHIN, Chinese str., for Shanghai.

December 26, HONGKONG, British steamer, for Singapore 18th December, Mails and General—SIEMSEN & Co.

December 26, FOLLOX, German str., for Saigon.

December 26, TAIKONG, German steamer, for Whampoa.

December 26, ACTIV, Danish str., for Hoilow.

December 26, INORABAN, German steamer, for Saigon.

December 26, TELAMON, British steamer, for Shanghai.

## DEPARTURES.

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## PASSENGERS.

Per *Kong Beng*, str., from Bangkok—42 Chinese.

Per *Thales*, str., from Taiwan and Amoy—10 Chinese.

Per *Hongkong*, str., from Shanghai—2 Chinese.

Per *Fokier*, str., from Tamsui, &c.—Mr. and Mrs. Chang Hoon, and 66 Chinese, dock.

Per *Japan*, str., from Calcutta, &c.—Mrs. T. S. Gardner, and 400 Chinese, from Singapore.

Per *Hogon*, str., from Bremen, &c.—Messrs. Smith, V. Moore and family, Goward, Redwell, Tyrian, Heptala, and Fozzow. Mrs. Holpa, Mrs. Chennick, and 270 Chinese, from Singapore.

Per *Pembroke*, str., from Nagasaki—2 Japanese.

Per *Swan*, brig, from Yap (Caroline Islands)—Mr. C. Blechert, and 1 Chinese.

Per *Chung Hock Kian*, str., from Singapore—380 Chinese.

Per *Frederic*, str., from Haiphong—Mrs. Du-moulin, and 21 Chinese.

Per *Thales*, str., for Batavia—Mr. C. Salter, for Sydney—Mr. and Mrs. G. Martin, infant and child, Mr. A. B. Huth, Mr. M. F. Grant, Mrs. Leslie and child, Messrs. M. F. Grant, T. Gittins, W. Gittins, and W. R. Loxley.

## REPORTS.

The British steamer *Chung Hock Kian*, from Singapore 18th December, reports experienced strong N.E. winds.

The American brig *Swan*, from Yap (Caroline Islands) 15th December, reports experienced strong N.E. winds from start to arrival.

The German steamer *Casabanda*, from Kobe 19th December, reports and moderate weather. In Formosa Channel had strong N.E. wind.

The British steamer *Japan*, from Calcutta 7th December, Penang 15th, and Singapore 17th, reports had fresh monsoon and fine weather throughout.

The British steamer *Pembroke*, from Nagasaki 21st December, reports first part had dull and overcast weather, with moderate to light wind, slight sea. Latter part had strong N.E. wind, driving rain, heavy and overcast and cloudy weather.

The British steamer *Formosa*, from Manila 22nd December, reports from Corregillo to Cape Horn had light to moderate variable winds with high northerly swell and clear weather, thence to port moderate to fresh N.E. to E.N.E. winds with considerable sea and cloudy weather.

The British steamer *Thales*, from Taiwan 21st December, and Amoy 23rd reports from Taiwan to Amoy had strong N.E. gale, heavy rain, and overcast weather, thence to port light variable wind, smooth sea, and gloomy weather. Steamers at Amoy—Nagasaki and Nansing.

The British steamer *Kong Beng*, from Bangkok 15th December, reports had fresh N.E. winds and fine clear weather with moderate N.E. sea. From thence to Cape Padaran, strong N.E. wind, smooth sea, and overcast weather, thence to port strong N.E. wind with occasional rain squalls and high N.E. sea.

The British steamer *Fokier*, from Tamsui 22nd December, Amoy 23rd and Swatow 24th, reports from Tamsui to Amoy had moderate to strong E.N.E. and N.W. winds and overcast weather, with high overcast sea. From Amoy to Swatow had light N.W. winds and fine, but overcast weather. From Swatow to Hongkong, moderate E.N.E. winds and fine, but overcast and hazy weather.

## INTIMATIONS.

## EXAMPLES OF THE COST

OF ASSURANCE TO A MAN AGED 30

NEW BIRTHDAY.

£1,000 STG. payable at death, would

cost at the rate of—

26 13 0 per quarter, (a) if premiums are

payable for whole of life

(b) if premiums are limited

to 10 years, &amp;c.

(c) if premiums are limited

to 15 years, &amp;c.

(d) if the sum assured is

made payable at age 50, or

at death if previous.

AFTER being three years in force, each

year's payment of premium reduces a

proportionate part of sum assured as explained

in Prospectus. For instance: after five years a

man assured under plan B would be entitled

to a Free Paid-up Policy for 520ths of sum

assured, viz. £250, should he wish to discontinue

future payments.

The same provisions if commenced at age

40 n. b. would cost respectively (a) £23.50,

(b) £21.50, (c) £22.4, (d) £27.6 per quarter.

Note.—It is an advantage to effect Provisions

of this nature, early in life. By delay the rate

of subscription increases; Death rate, too, con-

siderable before the Provision is effected, or Health may

fall and render the life ineligible for Assurance.

THE BORNBO COMPANY, LIMITED,

Agents, Agents, Agents, Agents, Agents, Agents,

STANDARD LIFE OFFICE,

HONGKONG.

KELLY &amp; WALSH, LIMITED,

ARE NOW SHOWING THEIR NEW SEASON'S

GOODS SUITABLE FOR

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

Woolen, Cashmere, Russia and Morocco De-

signs, Cases, Stationery, Cases, Blotting

Boards, Library and Drawing Room Landscapes, Safety

Inkstands, Gongs, Call Balls.

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## INTIMATIONS.

## THE NEW YORK LIFE INSURANCE

COMPANY.

ESTABLISHED 1858.

TOTAL ASSETS ON 1ST JANUARY, 1899, \$19,234,808

Amount Assured—\$36,386,400

Surplus by New York State—\$2,787,576

STANDARD

DIRECTOR: DAVID W. BROWN, President

Agents, Hongkong.

Hongkong, 21st November, 1899. (2414)

## BANKS AND LAND CO.

## THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK

CORPORATION, LIMITED.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL—\$2,000,000

PAID UP—\$250,000

LONDON

Head Office—40, THE LANCET BUILDINGS, STREET,

West End Office, 25, COOPER STREET.

BRANCHES IN INDIA, PERIA, CHINA, JAPAN

AND THE COLONIES.

THE BANK receives money on Deposit,

Buys and Sells Bills of Exchange, issues

Letters of Credit, forwards Bills for Collection,

and Transacts Banking and Agency Business

generally on terms to be had on application.

Interest allowed on Deposits—

Fixed for 12 months, 5 per Cent. per Annum.

Fixed for 6 months, 4 per Cent. per Annum.

Fixed for 3 months, 3 per Cent. per Annum.

On Current Deposit Accounts 2 per Cent. per

Annum on the daily balance.

## AGENCY DEPARTMENT.

For the convenience of those returning to

Europe, an Agency Department has been added

to the office of the Bank for the

transmission of Personal Agency of every de-

scription.

Pay and Pensions collected.

Passage tickets, warehouse, or forwarded.

Insurance effected, or forwarded.

Clearance Notes and Letters of Credit issued.

Agency of the NATIONAL LIFE ASSURANCE

SOCIETY.

H. A. HERBERT,

Manager, Hongkong Branch.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING

CORPORATION, LIMITED.

SUSCRIBED CAPITAL—\$5,000,000

PAID UP CAPITAL—2,500,000

RESERVE FUND—1,250,000

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

Hon. J. J. KESWICK, Chairman, Managing

Director, C. P. CHAPMAN, Vice-Chairman, Directors,

S. S. MOSES, Esq., J. S. MOSES, Esq.,

G. E. NOBLE, Esq., L. E. NOBLE, Esq.,

POON FONG, Esq.

BANKERS:

THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING

CORPORATION.

Money advanced on Mortgage on Land or

Buildings.

Properties purchased and sold.

Receipts and disbursements of all kinds of Agency

and Commission business relating to

Land, &amp;c., conducted.

Full particulars can be obtained at the Com-

pany's Office, No. 5, Queen's Road Central.

A. S. WATSON &amp; CO., LTD.,

Secretaries.

Victoria Buildings,

Hongkong, 3rd May, 1899. (689)

## HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING

CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL—\$7,500,000

RESERVE FUND—4,000,000

REVENUE INCOME OF PROPERTIES 7,500,000

COURT OF DIRECTORS:

W. H. FORBES, Esq., Chairman.

H. L. DALRYMPLE, Esq., Deputy Chairman.

G. E. NOBLE, Esq., J. S. MOSES, Esq.,

T. J. DAVIES, Esq., J. S. MOSES, Esq.,

Hon. J. J. KESWICK, Esq., L. E. NOBLE, Esq.,

Hon. A. P. MACDONALD, Esq., E. A. SOLOMON, Esq.,

CHIEF MANAGER.

HONGKONG—INTEREST ALLOWED

On Current Deposit Accounts at the rate of

2 per Cent. per Annum on the daily balance.

On Fixed Deposits—

For 3 months 3 per Cent. per Annum.

For 6 months 4 per Cent. per Annum.

For 12 months 5 per Cent. per Annum.

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

CREDITS granted on approved Securities, and

every description of Banking and Exchange

business transacted.

DRAFTS granted on London and the chief

commercial places in Europe, India, Australia,

America, China and Japan.

G. E. NOBLE,

Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 26th November, 1899. (19)

## AUCTIONS.

## PUBLIC AUCTION

VALUABLE LEASEHOLD

PROPERTY.

THE Underigned has received instructions

from the Mortgagee to Sell by Public

Auction, on

THURSDAY,

the 27th December, 1899, at 10 O'CLOCK IN THE

MORNING, ALL THAT PIECE OF PARCEL OF

GROUND situate at Victoria in the

Colony of Hongkong, and registered in the

Land Office as Lot No. 52 with

the MESSUAGES and BUILDINGS

thereon known as No. 120 Praya Central

and No. 4 Wing Lok Street.

For Particulars and Conditions of Sale apply

to Messrs. E. W. &amp; H. E. SOLOMON, Solicitors, No. 52,

Queen's Road, or to

J. M. ARMSTRONG,

Auctioneer,

Queen's Road Central,

Hongkong, 19th December, 1899. (2642)

## PUBLIC AUCTION.

MR. J. M. ARMSTRONG will Sell, under

instructions from the Mortgagee,

TO-MORROW,

the 28th of December, at 10 O'CLOCK IN THE

MORNING, ALL THAT PIECE OF PARCEL OF

GROUND situate at Victoria, Hongkong,

being Sub-section No. 1 OF THE REMAIN-

ING PORTION OF SECTION A OF LAND

IN THE DISTRICT OF KOWLOON, and

being the whole of the Dwelling House

No. 8 and 10 Wing Lok Street, &amp;c. &amp;c.

and the Appurtenances.

Further Particulars and Conditions of Sale may

be obtained upon application to

THE AUCTIONEER.

Messrs. CALDWELL &amp; WILKINSON,

Solicitors,

Hongkong, 20th December, 1899. (2652)

## PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Underigned has received instructions

from Dr. RIMBALL to Sell by Public

Auction, on

MONDAY,

the 30th December,











